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**Applicant:** PLANK, ET AL

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**For:** TREATMENT COMPOSITION FOR  
REDUCING ACRYLAMIDE IN  
FOOD PRODUCTS AND FOOD  
INTERMEDIATES

**Examiner:** KUHNS, SARAH LOUISE

**Group Art Unit:** 1761

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RESPONSE

Dear Sir or Madam:

This communication responds to the non-final Office Action mailed on March 7, 2006, in connection with the above-identified patent application.

The three-month period for response expired on June 7, 2006. Applicants hereby request a one-month extension of time for responding to the Office Action, said period of response being extended from June 7, 2006 to July 7, 2006.

The attached references are cited to assist in explaining points raised in the outstanding Office Action. It is respectfully submitted that no fee is due.

A check in the amount of \$120.00 is enclosed for the fee of this one-month extension request. If the amount submitted herewith is found to be incorrect, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any other fees, or credit any overpayment to Kagan Binder deposit account No. 50-1775 and notify us of the same.

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